# Local Work Group development of local EQIP.

#### Steele Soil and Water Conservation District FY03

1. List the local resource concerns that EQIP can address:

## Soil Erosion, Water Quality, Wildlife Habitat, Water Quantity

2. If applicable, list any geographic regions (i.e. watersheds, townships, etc.) and their respective resource concerns within the District to receive priority:

#### **County Wide**

3. Prioritize and weight each local resource concern for the district. Weight must be between 1 and 10:

	Resource	
Factor	Priority	Weight
A1. Erosion Control	High	1
A2 Gully Control	Medium	1
B1 Water Resource	High	1
B2 Wastewater/CNMP	Medium	1
C Habitat Improvement	Medium	1
D Air Quality	Medium	1
E Impaired Water	High	1
F Distance	Medium	1
G Grazing System	Low	1
H Forest Mgt.	Low	1
Additional Local*	High	10

<sup>\*</sup> If the additional local concern is scored, describe the concern here and how points will be scored. Include any geographic priorities.

### 329a Residue Management - No Till, Strip Till 6 Points

#### 328b Organic Conservation Crop Rotation 6 Points

- 4. Attach the scoring worksheet as recommended for the district.
- 5. List any recommended practices to be deleted from the state Conservation Practice Payment Document

The local EQIP program description, cost-share docket changes, and ranking worksheet must be reviewed and approved by the State Conservationist before any EQIP contract is approved and signed.

This document serves as the Local Work Group recommendation for FY 03 EQIP. Attached is a roster of participation in the Local Work Group.

Chair, Local Work Group	Date